

CLICWALL GOLDEN RULES

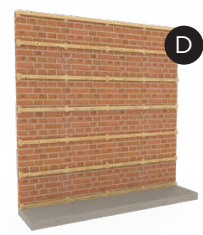
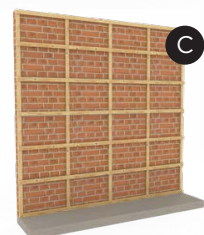
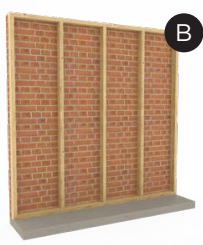
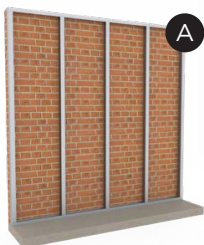
Installation advice for your Clicwall retention and partition walls

From the choice of substructure to finishing your Clicwall retention and partition walls, this guide takes installers, finishers and contractors through every step of the installation process.

Questions? Your trusted Unilin Panels contact person is on hand to assist you.

BEFORE YOU BEGIN

- Prepare a dry space and a flat surface where you will install the panels.
- Before installing the panels, leave them to acclimatise to the surroundings for at least 48 hours without opening the packaging.
- When installing the panels, make sure the temperature and moisture levels remain stable.



SUBSTRUCTURE

Choose a flat substructure on which to install the Clicwall panels:

- Metal **A** or wooden studs **B**, spaced 600 mm apart.
- Wooden lattice **C** or ceiling slats **D**, spaced 400 mm apart.

When creating this frame, consider how you plan to distribute the panels. If the width of your wall is not a multiple of 600 mm, start and end the installation with two panels of equal width (minimum width of 250 mm).

INSTALLING THE CLICWALL PANELS

- Use a spirit level to place the first panel and make sure there is at least 10 mm clearance at the bottom. To install the first panel, remove the tongue and attach the left side of the panel on the substructure using the MS polymer kit.
- Fasten the groove side of the Clicwall using wooden screws (3.5 x 25 mm) or staples (width > 10 mm and depth > 20 mm) every 40 cm. To fasten the Clicwall to metal studs, we recommend using self-drilling screws (3.5 x 16 mm) or cement board screws (3.9 x 19 mm). Make sure the diameter of the screw head is smaller than 7 mm. The tongue side of the next panel should click seamlessly into the Clicwall panel you installed before this one.
- To fasten the last panel, remove the groove and attach again with MS polymer but this time on the right side.
- When using Clicwall as part of a modular setup (i.e. where you use the panels multiple times), we recommend using Velcro as a fastener instead of MS polymer.



FINISHING FLOOR CONNECTIONS AND CORNERS

You can finish a **floor connection** as you prefer: with plastic, aluminium or MDF skirting boards. Want to create a stylish transition to your vinyl floor or prefer to use a shadow joint? Opt for an L profile.

For **inner corners**, you should always provide an expansion joint measuring a few millimetres that you can either leave as it is or seal. Edge the **outer corners** using Unilin edging tape, as it matches perfectly with your Clicwall. A corner profile is an alternative option. For **window reveal**, go for edged chipboards available in the same Unilin design.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Here's how to make sure your Clicwall retention and partition walls stay clean: a soft cloth, lukewarm water and an all-purpose cleaner will take care of almost everything. There is no need for any special cleaning products.

Need more detailed information? Download the extensive Clicwall installation guide from our download centre via www.unilinpanels.com/download.



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